

TAKE A MINUTE'S TIME

And write to the POST-DISPATCH stating whether the reported nuisances have been abated or not.

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WHAT ARE THEY DOING?

Have the Reported Nuisances Been Abated?

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FIFTEEN DEAD.

Series of Dreadful Calamities To-Day on the Rail.

Passenger Train on the Santa Fe Derailed by Robbers.

Four Killed Instantly and Twenty-five Injured.

HEAD END COLLISION ON A NORTHERN OHIO ROAD.

Passenger and Freight Trains Meet at Full Speed—Nine Killed, Five Missing and Five Injured—Engines and Cars Piled Together in a Mass of Ruins—Fire Adds Its Horrors to the Awful Scene—Street Cars Upset by a Train—A Chapter of Horrors.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 21.—Passenger train No. 8, on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, was wrecked by robbers three miles west of Ocala City at 10 o'clock this morning. The train, consisting of a baggage, express and mail car, two day coaches, two chair cars and three sleepers, was thrown over an embankment three feet high and the first six cars telescoped. Four persons were killed outright and twenty-five seriously injured.

FRANK BAXTER, express messenger, Kansas City. J. BLUMENTHAL, express guardman, Las Vegas, N. M. JAMES CHADWICK, fireman, Topeka. ED MATYER, engineer, Topeka.

MARY LYMAN, Bloomington, Ill.; badly bruised and injured about head and face.

WILLIAM DOOR and child, Chillicothe, Mo.; badly bruised and scratched.

MRS. JONES and two children, Wichita; slightly bruised.

THOMAS NELSON, Topeka, bruised about head and face.

M. A. ROBERTS, Emporia; back injured.

MRS. W. H. MILLER, Macon, Mo.; injured in spine and side.

J. F. WADDELL, Bayonne, Kan.; injured in leg.

G. K. KELLY of Kansas City, postal clerk; internal injuries, probably fatal.

C. T. WOODWARD, Elliot, Ill.; badly bruised.

W. A. CARY, Burlington, Mo.; head cut.

OLLIE YOUNG, Poplar Bluff, Mo.; head badly cut.

A. O. ROARK, Newton, Kan.; head cut.

R. H. JOHNSON, Minneapolis, Minn.; badly bruised.

H. O. MCCLURE, Richmond, Mo.; knee fractured and head badly cut.

W. D. MINOR, Ness City; knee hurt.

C. F. FOSTER, Lawrence, Kan.; postal clerk; badly bruised.

R. H. DOWNEY, Kansas City; leg mashed and badly bruised.

C. B. KINKE, express messenger, Kansas City; slightly bruised.

J. H. OBERLIN, postal clerk, Kansas City; slightly bruised in back.

THE WORK OF ROBBERIES.

The wreck occurred at a small bridge which crosses a ravine. There is a heavy down grade and the train was running fully forty miles an hour. It was impossible for the engineer to see the misplaced rails, and the coaches piled one over the other until the baggage and express cars were completely hidden by the wreckage. The Pullman sleepers remained on the track, but the other cars were completely demolished.

Men, women and children were piled over each other, caught in the broken seats and thrown through the windows of cars. Re-lieft reached the wrecked train from Emporia.

Examination of the track was made and it was found that the fish plates had been carefully removed and the bolts taken out and spikes drawn from ten ties and the rail bent over to the inside. Robbery was unquestionable the object. The train carried \$1,000 in currency, en route from the Mexican Central Railroad to its headquarters in Boston.

In examining the ground about the wreck a spot was found where three men had lain in the grass and tracks were found leading from the spot to the train. The section-house at Barclay was broken into last night and a crowbar, wrench and sledge hammer stolen. All these tools except the crowbar were found and the fish plates and bolts which had been removed were also discovered.

The passengers were brought to this city at 10 o'clock this morning. Some of the wounded who could not be removed were taken to Christ's Hospital here. Several of the passengers will probably die, but the attending physicians will make no statement until the extent of their injuries can be examined into.

ENGINEER MATYER'S STORY.

Ed Matyer was the engineer in charge. Just before reaching the wreckers' improvised switch he noticed that the rail had been misplaced and could see that there was not time to stop the train; he threw the throttle open hoping that he might be able to jump the break in safety and avert the impending calamity. The embankment at this point is about eight feet high. The engine plunged over it, following the course prepared by the would-be robbers. The train was composed of thirteen cars in all and except six sleepers were piled on top of the engine. Most of them were overturned and broken into splinters. Fortunately fire did not break out and it was with little difficulty that an opening was made in the coaches to permit the passengers to emerge into the semi-darkness of the night. The sight that met the gaze of those who escaped death or injury was terrible. The engine had gone to the bottom of the ravine and the wreckage of five cars covering it so completely that it was hidden from sight unless one clambered down in the death pit.

Engineer Matyer had been thrown from his cab some distance away, and had been almost cooked alive by the steam escaping from the exploded boiler. He was still conscious, although it was apparent that death was near at hand. He said that he saw the rail out and told briefly of his effort to prevent the derailment of the train.

Engineer Matyer had been with the express messenger from Las Vegas. He was killed.

As soon as the news was received at the company's office in this city a relief train was made up and sent out with a

number of surgeons and their assistants. The train returned to Topeka at 10:20 a. m., with the wounded and dead and all the passengers. Those who were seriously injured were sent on their journey by a special train immediately after dinner. The dead will be placed in caskets before removal from the wreck. The wounded were taken to the hospital.

Several passengers say that they saw a number of men run from the brush near by immediately after the disaster. Two freight trains pulled into Ocala City only ten minutes before the passenger train was due, so it is known that the work of the miscreants was done immediately before the arrival of the train. Officers are now scouring the country in search of the wreckers.

A. A. Robinson, General Manager of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, offered a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest of each of the men implicated in wrecking the train. Maj. W. H. Llewellyn, live stock agent for the road, was on board the wrecked train and claims to have taken possession of the box in which the Mexican Central currency was placed. Llewellyn says the money was in an iron-tipped box, three feet long and was buried so deep down in the wreck that the robbers could not have found it. His supposition is that the robbers were so frightened at the extent of the wreck that they at once took to their heels.

There are numerous rumors about the money which was aboard the train. Llewellyn says he turned the box over to the Marshal of Ocala City and the Marshal gave it to the Topeka agent of the Wells, Fargo & Co. Express. The Wells-Fargo people here would not be satisfied with it.

NINE KILLED.

Collision Between Passenger and Freight Trains at Shreve, O.

MANSFIELD, O., Sept. 21.—A terrible accident is reported on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago road.

The Pittsburgh and New York Limited, No. 8, east-bound, left this city at 12:19 this morning, collided with a west-bound freight two miles west of Shreve. Both trains were running at a high rate of speed, and the wreck is complete.

The express, known as train No. 8, ran into the first section of freight train No. 75. The express was approaching at full speed when the freight, which had been lying on a siding, suddenly pulled on to the main track in front of it.

Before either train could stop they had collided. The freight engine and the engine of the freight train did not understand its ground.

Both engines were dived and crashed into a shapless mass. They were followed by six cars of the express, including the postal car, two express cars, the baggage car, the smoker and one coach, together with five of the freight cars.

The killed and injured are:

J. SMITH, Crestline, O., fireman express train.

N. HAMMOND, Allegheny, Pa., fireman freight train.

A. C. GLENN, Allegheny, Pa., brakeman freight train.

J. B. PATTERSON, Beaver Falls, Pa., postal clerk.

J. P. MANN, Columbus, O., postal clerk.

J. S. ALLEN, Columbiana, O., postal clerk.

J. D. RHODES, Mahoning.

H. H. BROWN, Huntington, Ind.

LUCKOCK, Massillon, O.

Two ladies, supposed to be from Espeyville, Pa.

Lady and child, supposed to be from Alliance, O.

D. E. REESE, postal clerk, Massillon, O.

THE INJURED.

J. FRENCH, Millville, N. J.

M. ARMSTRONG.

F. BURT, Sandusky, O., engineer express train.

JAMES ABE, Sandusky.

J. STROCKNER, Pittsburg, Pa.

Five persons are reported to have followed the collision and several cars were consumed. This, it is said, added to the injuries to many passengers.

The crash was terrible as the trains came piled together. The engine of the freight train, while their momentum drove them fairly through each other, and then with the hissing steam and scalding water pouring from every seam and rivet, they fell into the ditch alongside the track. The freight cars telescoped one another until little but a jumble of twisted iron remained. The passenger train, which was struck by the freight train, was thrown from their berths and seats. With the first crash the lives of the doomed went out. The passenger engineer, fireman, two postal clerks and two passengers from the express, and the fireman and front brakeman of the freight train were instantly killed. The engineer of the freight train jumped from his engine and escaped instant death, but was seriously injured.

CAUGHT FIRE.

The postal car caught fire and spread rapidly to two express cars, baggage car, smoker, train men and passengers. The pitch dark, but the horrible spectacle was illuminated with the brilliant glare from the rapidly burning cars.

The accident occurred about two miles from the village of Shreve, but the country folks, the train men and passengers, about the work of rescuing those imprisoned in the wrecked coaches. A messenger was dispatched to Shreve for assistance, and from that point word was sent to the railroad officials.

As soon as the remains of the dead were removed from the wreckage, the injured passengers were in places of safety, attention was given to preventing the flames from spreading to the remaining coaches and sleeping cars. By this time a wrecking train had arrived and everything possible for the comfort of the victims of the accident was promptly done by the company officials.

The track was cleared and traffic resumed within three hours. The passengers were transferred to other coaches and started for Pittsburg, where they arrived about 11 o'clock.

The cars wrecked were: Five freight cars, one postal car, two express cars, one baggage car, train men and passengers. The wrecked cars were totally destroyed by fire. One coach and the sleeping cars on the express train were not wrecked and escaped the flames. It is feared the missing persons perished in the flames.

FORCE OF THE COLLISION.

The force of the collision must have been terrific, as the postal, express and smoking cars were completely telescoped. There were five clerks at work in the postal car, and four were instantly killed and the fifth one was fatally injured. The locomotive of the freight train was struck by the engine of the freight train, and in a short time the car was ablaze. From there the flames swept to the two express cars, and before the passengers succeeded in checking the fiery element the baggage car, the smoker and a day coach were reduced to ashes. The only car that escaped the flames was the three Pullman coaches and a special car that was attached to the rear.

It is not known whether or not any Pullman

A WAY CAMP.

Business and Pleasure Combined by the G. A. R. Encampment.

Reports Received and Routine Matters Attended To.

THE "HOUSE OF LORDS" AND COLOR LINE DISCUSSED.

Exchange of Courtesies Between the District Commissioners and the Army Veterans—Address of Commander-in-Chief Palmer—Indianapolis Assured of the Next Annual Meeting—A Day Devoted to Legislative Work.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The twenty-sixth national encampment, G. A. R., began its session in Albright's Opera-house this morning. Routine business will occupy most of today's session. Gen. Palmer will read his report as Commander-in-Chief and the reports of various standing and special committees will be made. The Committee on Pensions may offer a resolution in regard to the service pensions. It is not probable that the House of Representatives will ratify the Pension bill. The Committee on Pensions is doing for its veterans all that could be asked or expected, and that the time has not come for so generous an extension of the pension system.

The "House of Lords" matter will excite a lively discussion when it comes to the front. According to the regulations of the G. A. R., the highest officers of the national organization and the departmental commanders are allowed to have seats and vote in the encampment. Under this rule forty-three life members of the encampment were selected this year, and the number of delegates elected from the departments. There has been a sentiment growing in the G. A. R. of late against allowing the past commanders to vote in encampments.

The Department of Massachusetts has several propositions of amendments to the constitution of the G. A. R. which will be discussed. This year Ohio will start the movement. The last State encampment at Lima, Indiana, instructed the delegates to this effect. Something of a skirmish between the two leading departments may ensue, as Pennsylvania is warmly in favor of the old order of things. This conflict will have a great effect on the campaign for commander-in-chief.

The color line question will again come, if present declared intentions are carried out, but Gen. Palmer will be sustained by an overwhelming vote.

An effort will be made by Comrade T. T. Swaburn to secure from the Grand Army of the Republic an endorsement for the color line as the national flower. He says in support of the suggestion: "Its name comes from the same root as Columbia. It is an exact copy of the Phrygian liberty cap, the head dress of Columbia, and the prototype of the Grand Army of the Republic's emblem. It is a symbol of the nation's unity and its motto, 'Liberty and Justice for all,' is embodied in its folds. It is a hardy perennial and wild flower that is found in every part of our land, growing even on the Rocky Mountains in the very heart of the country."

The encampment is a representative body of the Grand Army of the Republic, and each of the various departments, others allotted on the basis of membership of the department, are entitled to send delegates to the encampment by virtue of present or past office in the national organization.

The legislative body of the Grand Army of the Republic is the National Convention, which meets annually at the headquarters of the Grand Army of the Republic, and is composed of delegates from the various departments, and is the highest authority in the organization.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—"The Dazzler."
EXPOSITION—Open from 8 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.
THE HARBOR—"The Dazzler."
OLYMPIA—"The Dazzler."
STANDARD—"A Kentucky Girl."
FORD—"Capt. Hume, U. S. A."
HAYLIS—"Pulse of New York."

Weather forecast for thirty-six hours,
beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missouri:
Fair, except probably light showers in
Northwestern Missouri; southeasterly winds,
shifting to westerly; slightly cooler.
Rain has fallen along the western slope of
the Allegheny mountains, and light showers
have occurred in Nebraska. A marked area of low
pressure is central over the Dakotas, and moving
slowly eastward; this is likely to cause showers in
the Dakotas and Nebraska to-day and as far south as
St. Louis by Thursday night.
Weather forecast for thirty-six hours, beginning
at 8 a. m. to-day, for St. Louis: Fair; warmer to-
night; probably showers Thursday or Thursday
night. Cooler by Thursday night.

SENATOR HILL doesn't seem to be afraid
to stand on that tariff plank.

MR. MCKINLEY is keeping his eye on
1896 and avoiding joint campaign meet-
ings.

TO MAKE his position as a Democrat perfect
Senator Hill has only to add good
example to good advice.

It is a sad moment in the history of the
Republican party when James G. Blaine is
convicted of staying away from the polls.

If Mr. Schweickhardt would roll his tin-
can pavement and paint it its effect on the
Forest Park landscape might not be so
bad.

SENATOR HILL'S Democracy is of the
old-fashioned, healthy variety. He made
New York safely Democratic and he will
keep it so.

MR. PECK in jail would be a sad spec-
tacle. Surely the workers whose wages
have been secretly increased would rally
and liberate him.

HILL, the slain Kirkwood burglar, was
a farmer, which indicates that the Mc-
Kinley bill has induced the agriculturists
to start a new industry.

MUCH has been said against the morals
of the Republican party, but nobody
thought it was so utterly abandoned as the
Maine and Vermont returns show.

THE collapse of the stock of the Ellwood
tin plate factory was probably a sym-
ptomatic movement. The stock of the politi-
cal organization backing it is going down
rapidly.

THE Mayor says that he has been "care-
fully watching the threatened approach
of cholera into this country." His looking
through a glass so much of late is thus ex-
plained.

MR. HARRISON'S Indianapolis organ
publishes only a brief synopsis of Senator
Hill's speech. Is the Republican press
beginning to lose interest in the New York
Senator?

MR. BLAINE "paired" with a Demo-
cratic friend. This saved his vote, but
pairing is not practiced by men who are
enthusiastic or who have the cause very
much at heart.

THE report that the Indiana Labor Com-
missioner was about to issue a report like
Peck's turns out to be false. The Republi-
can managers could not induce him to go
into their game.

DEMOCRATIC doctrine on the tariff ques-
tion was clearly expressed by Senator Hill
in the phrase, "No public taxation for
private purposes." That principle ap-
peals to every patriotic citizen.

THE assertion that a healthy stomach
cholera-proof will bring little comfort to
any part of the world. The man who does
not abuse his stomach more or less every
day, knowingly or otherwise, is a rare ex-
ception.

THE anti-fusion Democrat in Kansas is
like the Warner Democrat in Missouri.
He is a Republican. One of the signers of
the call for an anti-fusion convention is
Mr. James B. Emery, who is at present
holding an office by appointment from a
Republican Governor. In 1890 he publicly
indorsed the Reed Congress, praised the
McKinley bill and in all other respects

conducted himself as a good Republican.
Mr. Emery should study Missouri politics
and learn how the thousands and thou-
sands of Warner Democrats successfully
escape identification.

THE MAYOR'S CALL.

It is proper enough for the Mayor to call
upon citizens to do their part in the clean-
ing of the city. The purifying of private
premises is one part of the work which
every citizen, as a matter of self-interest,
if from no other motive, should perform.
But the responsibility rests in the end
upon the municipal authorities.

Calling upon citizens is a small part of
the Mayor's duty. Citizens have a right
to look to him to see that the work is done.
It cannot be accomplished by conferences
and proclamation, but by honest and ener-
getic effort. It is the duty of the Mayor
and his assistants to insist upon an honest
expenditure of funds for cleaning pur-
poses and a strict enforcement of discipline
among minor officials and workmen.
The first important step toward
cleaning the city is the cleaning
out of the political barnacles and boulders
who absorb the means and nullify the effi-
ciency of the cleaning departments. Is
the Mayor willing to keep sober, attend to
his duty and make "push" pap-absorbers
work or quit?

Holding conferences, making speeches
and issuing proclamations are cheap
methods of getting credit for efficiency.
They do not clean the city and unless ac-
companied by honest work are not worth
the wind and ink expended on them.

The citizens have offered voluntary pecu-
niary aid for the cleaning work. They
are serving as sanitary inspectors free of
cost through the POST-DISPATCH. There
is little danger that they will not do their
full share, but there is great danger that
their efforts will be hampered by ineffi-
ciency and ineptitude on the part of public
officials. The call for a performance of
duty rests on the Mayor.

THE FORCE BILL ISSUE.

The force bill issue is presented clearly
and tersely by Senator Hill. But he is
mistaken in ranking it with the protective
tariff as an issue of equal or greater im-
portance. The federal election law pro-
posed by the Republicans in the last Con-
gress is merely a device to place the whole
electoral machinery of the country in the
hand of the general Government and re-
duces the States to a nullity. The motive
behind it is not love for the poor negro or
a desire for fair elections, but a determina-
tion on the part of the beneficiaries of
class legislation to firmly establish their
party in power. The New York Tribune
"gave away" its purpose when the Lodge
attack was pending in the House of Rep-
resentatives by saying, that "in the Federal
election bill lay a dozen McKinley
bills."

Class legislation is possible only when
the masses are suppressed or ignored.
Monopolies and special privileges are not
granted by an intelligent people with their
eyes open to the purposes of legisla-
tive favorites. In order to get special
favors elections must be either bought
with heavy contributions of boodle, which
is expensive, or the Government itself
must be "plutocratized" and pay the ex-
penses itself. A Federal election law is
demanded because the classes do not want
to pay for enslaving the masses. The
masses must be made to pay for their own
enslavement.

This should not be forgotten. The issue
of class legislation, of which the
protective tariff is the most conspicuous
example. It is the parent of intimidation
and bribery, of plutocracy and pauperism.
The force bill is only a means to an end,
and the end is the establishment and main-
tenance of an aristocracy of wealth.

MISFORTUNE was sadly misdirected when
the Columbia Herald establishment was
destroyed by fire yesterday. The Herald and
its proprietor deserve the best that fortune
can give. It is one of the model weekly
newspapers of Missouri. It is a clean,
honest and progressive journal, reflecting
the highest credit upon the men who make
it and the community in which it is pub-
lished. Mr. E. W. Stevens, its proprietor,
has not only succeeded in building up
a newspaper valuable to himself,
to his community and State, but he has
contributed notable services to his profes-
sion. His active work and potent influ-
ence for the advancement of journalism
have been recognized by his co-workers
and have been rewarded with the highest
offices within the gift of the State and Na-
tional Editorial Associations. Fortunately
the Herald still lives and if good wishes
are worth anything its loss will turn out to
be ultimate gain.

THE report that the Republican Com-
mittee have a Negro Registration Commit-
tee actively at work manufacturing votes
at so much per head is an indication that
an attempt will be made to repeat the dis-
graceful work of four years ago, when the
vote of this city was increased by thou-
sands of illegal votes. Both parties were
guilty of nefarious work of that kind
then, but the Republicans had the biggest
supply of boodle and the most efficient
corps of vote-making and repeat-
ing experts. The subsequent revelations
in court showed that wholesale frauds
were perpetrated, although no punish-
ment was inflicted upon the offenders.
St. Louis cannot afford to have a repetition
of such outrageous registration and elec-
tion frauds. The new system of voting
will put some check upon efforts to cheat
but it does not guard wholly against them
when false registrations are effected. If

the officials cannot or will not take proper
steps to checkmate fraudulent voters the
reputable citizens of both parties should
combine to have it done.

WILSON McDONALD, the sculptor, who
was in St. Louis a student at the Medical
University during the cholera of 1849-50,
says in a New York WORLD interview:
"Cholera would have a hard time getting
a foothold in St. Louis now, for the sim-
ple reason that it is one of the best kept
and best drained cities in America." This
is true beyond question, but it should only
teach us how easy it would be by addi-
tional care and cleanliness to deprive chol-
era of any foothold at all in St. Louis.

COL. FRANK HATTON says that "Mr.
Harrison is the only man who ever held
Blaine up by the coat collar and after he
had shaken him and taught him a few les-
sons kicked him out of office." Before
Mr. Harrison's friends begin to revel in
this distinction they should remember that
there is an opportunity to kick coming for
the Blaines.

THERE have been two explanations which
explain the Republican losses in Maine.
One, that "the Republicans did not go to
the polls in as great numbers as they did
formerly," another, that "there was a
lack of interest." These two should be
laid away in lavender and brought out to
explain the cataclysm in November.

THERE can be no doubt that Mr. McKin-
ley is an orator and statistician of sufficient
power to convince the Republican Leagues
that robbery under the forms of law is the
best thing for the American people. There
are, however, so many people who do not
belong to political leagues, that he may
find a good deal of his eloquence wasted.

"ORGANIZE, organize, organize!" says
Senator Hill. This is excellent advice
from an experienced and successful politi-
cal leader. It is especially applicable to
the Democratic campaign in the North-
west. But it takes money to organize.
The appeal in behalf of the educational
fund is obvious to every Democrat.

THE young negro student of Tennessee,
who has been called to a throne in Africa,
should lose no time in hastening back to
the Dark Continent. Mr. Harrison hasn't
offices enough to go around among his
white friends and the colored man who
sees an opening in Africa will do well not
to wait for Benjamin.

THE statement made in the London
Chamber of Commerce that the export of
tin plate from Wales to America this year
has been six times greater than it was last
year, may account for the large quantities
of "American tin" to which the voracious
Republican press points with so much
pride.

CANDIDATE REID describes the Demo-
cratic campaign as "one of abandon-
ment." The abandonment of the Re-
publican party by the voters certainly
promises to cut a heavy figure in it. All
indications point that way.

THE protected manufacturers of the State
of New York are thanking their stars that
the First District Police Court and the new
protection of the public have been put
in New York a lady commissioner might
have been in Mr. Peck's place and how could
she ever have kept secret the names of those
generous employers who increased the pay
of their workmen?

BISMARCK, when he visits the World's Fair,
will be in a country where he may write as
many communications to the press as his
pleases. There are many European states-
men who, like this distinguished old gen-
tleman, would be greatly benefited by a few
months in the free atmosphere of the Re-
public.

THE Nashville injured husband who exposed
the disturber of his domestic peace by means
of a circular, did a better thing than to load
his shot-gun, and commendations from the
Northern press are in order. Had Mr. Boren
shot Mr. Williams, a wealthy banker would
have been lost to the community.

A thorough cleaning of the city would do
away with many familiar odors; but when
the pestilence walketh at noonday along the
Atlantic Coast, the good people of the in-
terior must bring themselves to part, for a
time at least, with old associations.

THE Indianapolis Journal is boasting of
the triumphs of its club at the Grand Army
gathering in Washington. The Journal does
not go into particulars, and it is possible the
club won its laurels in singing for cold
victuals.

THE enthusiasm with which Gen. Butler
was greeted by the Grand Army in Wash-
ington is sufficient evidence that a great com-
mander may be occasionally bottled up with-
out losing the respect of his soldiers.

Mr. Harrison and Mr. Blaine had recom-
mended some good cholera remedy in their
recent letters, instead of writing politics,
Maine and Vermont might have made a
different showing.

If the son of the leader of New York's
"Four Hundred" mismanages, what is to be
expected of young men whose social oppor-
tunities are merely ordinary?

MR. CORBETT is already accused of mean-
ness in money matters. But what great man
can escape detection?

In the fight between the New York doctors
several innocent bacilli spectators may be
done for.

THE PEOPLE'S FORM.

[No matter written on both sides of the sheet can
appear under this head.—Ed.]

The Exposition.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:
Why don't the Fastimes wake up and get a
night at the Exposition? Last year they gave
as good an exhibition on the stage as there
was during the Exposition; this year they
can give one twice as good.
The P. A. C. with its members, friends and
lovers of athletics, would make a large
crowd. Last year the Music Hall was
crowded to see the athletic exhibition and
this year we could have almost doubled
what we had last.
Knowing that the POST-DISPATCH is the
best medium for a plea like this, I remain an
humble member of the Fastimes.

WILL HARP IT.

Judge Morris, Nina Marshall and
Marshall McDonald Will Fix It.

The Impeachment Proceedings Against
the Police Judge Will Not Be Filed.

WILL FINES BE STAYED IN SECRET AS
FAST AS IMPOSED IN PUBLIC.

The Notorious Proprietress of Two Dis-
reputable Resorts Defies the Police
and Spits in the Faces of Officers—
Marshall McDonald Holds the Judge's
Private Papers, Which Were
"Dropped" in Nina Marshall's Man-
sion of Sin.

Marshall McDonald, attorney for Nina
Marshall, the notorious proprietress of two
disreputable houses, one at 1312 Pine street,
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MISSING REFUGEES

The Venezuelan Congressmen Seized on the Steamer Caracas.

THEIR FATE UNKNOWN TO FOREIGN CONSULS AT LA GUAYRA.

Admiral Walker Will Enforce the Protest of Minister Scruggs—Recent Battles of the Orsopo Revolution—Exiles Now at Caracas—Mail Advice From South America.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21.—The State Department has no news of Admiral Walker and his flagship Chicago. Panama mail advices under date of Sept. 15 say that the news from Venezuela continues most deplorable. The revolutionists are in possession of all the ports of the coast except La Guayra. Many outrages have been committed on merchants, consuls and others.

In Caracas the American and Italian consuls have been imprisoned and the Spanish Consul was imprisoned at La Guayra. The commander of a Spanish warship threatened to bombard La Guayra on this account.

The fighting at Puerto Cabello was so severe that the dead were so numerous there were no facilities for their burial and their bodies were left to rot in the streets.

Walker sailed direct to La Guayra, and upon his arrival there he will find the Concord and Kearsarge, and will at once take measures to back up American Minister Scruggs' protest against the forcible seizure of Venezuelan Congressmen on the D Line steamer Caracas, flying the American flag, some weeks ago.

Mail advices from Caracas say that these refugees, six in number, were seized by order of the then Dictator Urdaneta.

As soon as the men were taken ashore they were imprisoned in the fort at the entrance to the harbor of Puerto Cabello.

This place was then held by the rival factions, the insurgents having possession of the city, while the Government troops still garrisoned the fort. Fearing that this stronghold would be destroyed by dynamite, the refugees requested Urdaneta to place them aboard one of his vessels, then lying in the harbor preparing for an attack upon Coro. The men were therefore removed to one of his steamers and carried with him to La Yaya de Coro, the seaport of Coro.

At this point were the two Colonias, Leon and Diego, the former General in Crespo's army, the latter in the Government service.

Urdaneta joined his forces with those of Diego Colonia and together they attacked Leon. The latter was victorious, however, and annihilated the combined armies of Urdaneta and Diego Colonia.

After this unsuccessful attack upon Coro, Urdaneta decided to retreat to Maracaibo, taking with him the six refugees about whom so much has been said and written. He found his fleet short of coal, and therefore scuttled one of the steamers to prevent its falling into the hands of the enemy. With his single remaining steamer he towed the remnant of his fleet to the Dutch island of Aruba, where he took on a supply of coal.

During the night one of the refugees jumped into a small boat and escaped. He was seen where he is now safely landed upon Dutch soil.

In the morning Urdaneta got under way and steamed into the harbor of Maracaibo with the remaining five refugees.

What has become of the unfortunate men no one seems to know. Some say they are at liberty in the city of Maracaibo, others that they are imprisoned. In all events, in or out of prison, they are still in the hands of Urdaneta. The action of the United States Government in this matter is watched with the keenest interest.

THINKING TO BE AHEAD.

New York, Sept. 21.—The South Portland, steamer detained here because she was fitting out for Venezuela with a cargo of arms for the rebels, was all ready to slip away from this port under cover of darkness last night. The revenue cutter Washington steamed out to the south Portland to investigate a rumor to this effect and found the steamer with steam up, evidently ready to sail. While the lines were being cast to prevent its escape, a tugboat took place between the people on the deck of the South Portland. Up over her side went the United States cutter, with revenue officers. Surveyor Lyon informed the mate who was in charge of the steamship, that he was under arrest in the name of the United States.

The mate who was in charge of the steamship, the cutter and the tugboat, and he had come out to prevent its escape. The fact that there was a full head of steam on and that her anchor was hoisted, both the engine and mate said they had no intention of sailing. They could not, however, give the surveyor a satisfactory explanation as to why they had up so much steam, and were riding at anchor.

They said the captain and Gonzalez, the Venezuelan who chartered her, were ashore and were expected out any minute. Both vowed they would not lend a hand in getting the steamship under way until she had her proper clearance papers.

Then surveyor Lyon put a crew of revenue officers in charge of the South Portland, with instructions to hold her where she was at anchor.

Among the exiles at Caracas, who have left Venezuela during the Crespo rebellion are: Rodas, an ex-President, who has been recalled by Crespo to assume charge in case he shall be victorious; a prominent officer under the Villagran government.

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72 rich cut, satin finished, Heavy Crystal Fruit or Berry Bowls, 8 1/2 inches in diameter, with magnificent designs of deep cutting, all entirely new, regular price of which is \$12, but we will sell them for one week at the remarkably low price of \$6.

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A furious sail has been blowing at Montevideo, and there have been several wrecks with loss of life. Reports from Mendoza tell of severe weather in the passes of the Andes. There has been a heavy snow storm, with fierce winds.

At Buenos Ayres there are well developed manifestations indicating the early outbreak of another revolution. The troops in the camp at Catalina have revolted. President Pena announces that he intends to pursue a peaceful course against his opponent. He insists that General Zeballos shall take the foreign portfolio. General Roca stated in Congress to-day that the lower orders in the province of Buenos Ayres are in extreme poverty, owing to the existing state of finances. They are unable to obtain the necessities of life and their condition, he says, calls for immediate action.

"The Exposition Echoes"

Will be issued daily during the Exposition from the Post-Dispatch press-room in the Exposition building. It will contain the only official programme of the Gilmore concerts, will be replete with the "gossip of the aisles," an outline of the news of the day, and other attractive features. Some space has been reserved for advertisers, and anyone desiring to have their card therein will send it to our representative by telephoning No. 424.

WANTS THE REPORT REJECTED.

An Appeal in a Prepared Chalk Plate Case.

This morning in the United States Circuit Court the case of the Hoke Engraving Co. against Carl Schraubstaetter came up on exceptions to the master's report, made by Edmund T. Allen. By this report it was declared that the patent of the Hoke Co. had been infringed by the defendant, and that damages were assessed for the manufacture and sale of prepared chalk plates, aggregating \$9,000.

The defendant protested that this amount was excessive and that the report be disapproved. Judge Thayer took the matter under advisement.

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A RAINSTORM COMING.

Warmer Weather, Followed by Rain and a Cool Wave.

The predictions of the Weather Bureau are that the weather will gradually grow warmer until to-morrow afternoon or evening. A rainstorm is moving east, which will probably reach this city by to-morrow night at latest. It will be followed by decidedly cooler, but until it reaches here the temperature will steadily rise.

Wabash Harvest Excursions.

Sept. 27 and Oct. 25, 1892.

Harvest excursion tickets to principal points in the Northern, Southern and Western States will be on sale Sept. 27 and Oct. 25, at half the regular rates, good returning twenty days from date of sale. City ticket office, southeast corner Broadway and Olive street.

Arrested for Liquor-Selling.

This morning Miss Mamie White, residing on Elm street, was arrested by United States Marshal Atkinson and arraigned before United States Commissioner Crawford on the charge of selling malt liquors without the payment of a special tax. On her examination she stated that she kept no liquors, but bought what she needed from a neighboring saloon. This was held to be a violation of the law, and she was held on her personal bond for \$20 for appearance before the November term of the District Court.

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HIS WIFE HELD.

Burglar Hall's Wife Believed to Be Implicated in His Robberies.

The wife of burglar John W. Hall, the midnight robber who committed suicide in Kirkwood early yesterday morning after being mortally wounded by W. T. Warner, whose house he had entered, will be held by the Kirkwood authorities for alleged complicity in robberies committed by Hall. She was taken to Clayton yesterday and placed in charge of Coroner Caster. It was found that Hall's house was literally filled with stolen goods of all descriptions, and yesterday afternoon the goods were taken by Sheriff Bowen, who had been authorized by the coroner to have the goods held for identification.

The horse and buggy have not been seen since. Mrs. Hall stated that her husband had brought the goods to the house and ordered her to be silent regarding them. She said also that on Monday last her husband came home in the afternoon, remained until about 11 o'clock at night, and then she was sleeping, had gone away, taking with him his sorely worn coat and a top buggy. The horse and buggy have not been seen since. Mrs. Hall stated that her husband's name was Sarah Margaret Grover, that her father and mother died in Mount Vernon, Ill., when she was quite young, and that she and her mother lived in St. Louis. She was married to Hall, then a widower, at St. Louis. He had been a butcher on O'Fallon street, in this city, afterwards a huckster at Kinkerville, then moved to the Bradford farm south of Clayton, next to a place near Manchester, and in June last to Des Peres. They had one son, now about 4 years old.

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Dr. A. M. HENRY, Mitchell, Dak., says: "I have used it in a number of cases of nervous debility, with very good results."

Daniel Dougherty's Will.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 21.—The will of Daniel Dougherty, the lawyer and orator, has been admitted to probate. His position accompanying the will places the value of the estate at \$140,000. This is devised absolutely to his wife (who is also made executrix), during her life, giving her full power to make such provisions by will for its distribution after her death as she may deem desirable. In the event of her not making a will then the testament provides for its distribution among the descendants' children.

NOTICE.—In order to correct any wrong impression amongst our friends and customers we desire to say that we have no connection whatever with the firm of J. & J. Beakey, who failed Monday.

JAMES BEAKET STOVE CO., Main and Washington avenue.

HENRY P. BEAKET, Treasurer.

EDWARD J. BEAKET, Secretary.

A British Ship Wrecked.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Sept. 21.—The schooner Ruby has just returned from the wreck of the British four-masted ship Golden Horn, on Santa Rosa island. Men report vessel has broken in two between fore and main masts, and is fast going to pieces. Little if anything can be saved from the wreck.

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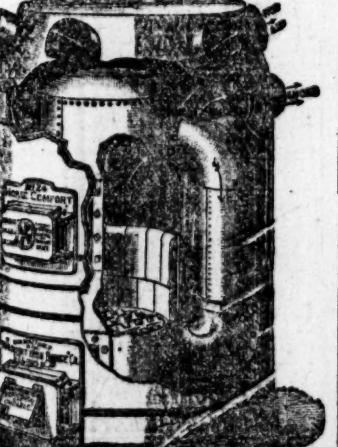
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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

OFFICE OF MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST CO.,

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 20, 1892.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this company, held this day, a dividend of 10 per cent on the paid-up capital was declared, payable Oct. 1, 1892, of the net earnings of the quarter ending Sept. 30, 1892, to stockholders of record, Oct. 1. Transfer books close to day of record.

St. Louis, Sept. 14, 1892.

Comprising all the directors of said company.

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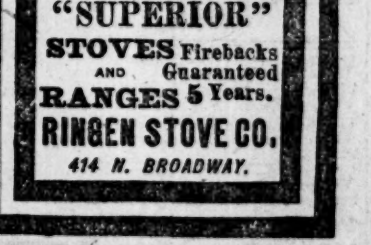
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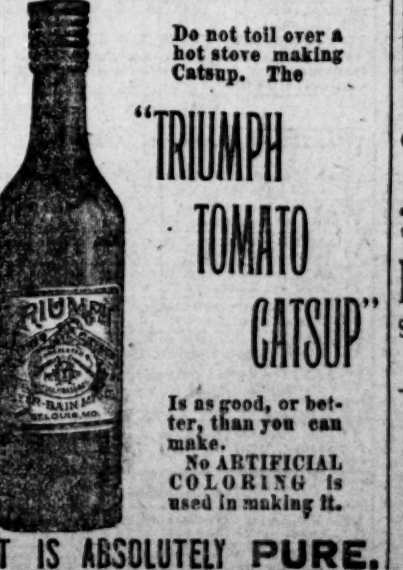
NOTICE.—Increase of Capital Stock.—A meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Iron & Machine Works will be held at its office in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1892, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 12 o'clock m. of that day, to vote upon the question of increasing the capital stock of said company from \$200,000 to \$500,000, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

G. H. TIMMERMAN, ROBERT D. WOOD, JOHN WIMMERMAN, WILLIAM RUDENBORN, HERMAN KRUTSCH, St. Louis, Sept. 14, 1892.

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SLASHED HIS HEART.

Harrison Taylor Dangerously Wounded
Henry Goabout on a Street Car.

Henry Goabout, a negro, lost a piece of his heart in a fight last night in a street car on Chouteau and Vandeventer avenues. About 11:30 o'clock he got on a car of the Lindell Co.'s line, and meeting Harrison Taylor, another colored man, he accused him of having struck his Goabout's sister. The two negroes rushed at each other, and Taylor got out his knife and used the blade of it in a terrible effort on Goabout. He first cut him in the left arm in his endeavor to reach a vital spot, and then plunged the blade into the man's left side. Goabout fell to the floor and Taylor rushed out and made his escape. The wounded man was taken on a car to Dr. Boyce's office, on Jefferson and corner of Broadway, where the wounds were dressed and he was then taken to his home, No. 208 Wyoming street, and from there removed to City Hospital. Here a more thorough examination was made of the breast wound and it was found that Taylor's knife had penetrated Goabout's heart and clipped off one end of it. A surgical operation was performed on the patient and today he was reported to be resting easily.

The wounded man is a teamster and is in the employ of Mrs. Miller of 308 Wyoming street, where he also made his home. He is a brother of Tom Goabout, a notorious chicken thief. Taylor is a big washer and lives in Convent alley, between Missouri and Armstrong avenues. He is a low, heavy set, dark brown negro about 35 years old, and one of his upper front teeth is missing. He stutters some in talking.

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Dr. Black's Revival.

Evangelist Black is having great success in his revival at Trinity M. E. Church, Tenth and North Market streets. There have been large crowds and a great many conversions at every service. Last night was the most successful meeting of the series, there being a large number at the altar and many weeping in the congregation. Next Sunday is to be a great day. A large number will be received into the church and the following special programme has been arranged for the day:

9 a. m.—Sunday school. An address by Rev. D. T. Black and a short revival service.
10:45 a. m.—Fasting. Special music will be furnished by the choir. The preaching will be followed with a revival service conducted by Evangelist Black.
8:45 p. m.—General mass meeting in the lecture room of the church.
9 p. m.—Fasting service, at which time new members will be received into the church.

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Where Is L. D. Cantrell?

J. A. Henslee of Bell, Grant County, Ark., is very anxious to receive some information of L. D. Cantrell, his old business partner. Under the firm name of Cantrell & Henslee they formerly conducted the Grand Central Hotel at Little Rock, Ark. Mr. Henslee says he has not heard from Mr. Cantrell for a long time and will be thankful for any information concerning him.

At the approaching opening of "Famous," expect extraordinary values. You'll not be disappointed.

A City Sued.

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., Sept. 21.—Suit was brought against the City of Beardstown by Miss Lou Smith of Fredrick, Ill., who states that she fell into an open catch basin and was seriously injured. She sets her damages at \$10,000.

SCROFULOUS SORES

Lady Badly Afflicted Three Years.
Tries Many Doctors Here and in England Without Benefit. Cured by Cuticura.

My wife having suffered from Scrofula sores on the back for three years, and as she could not lie down at night, and she tried all the doctors I could get, and also went to England to try and be cured there, and all of them failed, and told her they could do nothing for her; and I had tried all kinds of remedies, I at last tried one box of CUTICURA REMEDIES, and to-day she is well as she ever was in her life, and I for one can recommend CUTICURA REMEDIES as the only one I could find to effect a cure.

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I had a running sore in my ear of a scrofula nature for ten years. Had been treated by several physicians, but obtained no relief until I tried CUTICURA, which healed it up in a few days. This was more than three years ago, and I have had no trouble with sinces. I consider your CUTICURA REMEDIES unequalled for the diseases you claim to cure.

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WEAK, PAINFUL KIDNEYS,
With their weary, dull, aching, lifeless, all-pain sensation, relieved by the Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster, the only pain-killing plaster.

COMISKEY VS. CHRIS

Battle Royal Between Their Forces Will Commence To-Morrow.

HOW THE BROWNS WILL WIND UP THE CHAMPIONSHIP SEASON.

Cleveland's Prospects for Capturing the Pennant—A World's Championship Series—Mitchell Very Anxious for a Fight With Corbett—The Smith-Maber Battle—Shady Turf Men.

The opposing forces controlled by Von der Ahe and Comiskey will be pitted against one another to-morrow, and the ensuing contests will be distinctly for blood. Little love is lost between the "Boss President" and his ex-manager, and they take a fondish delight in seeing one another downed. So far Commy has digested the better part of the ghoulish glee, but Chris will do most anything for his boys if they do not desert him in this his darkest hour and add to his cup of bitterness by letting Comiskey's Reds walk all over them. The games to-morrow, Saturday and Sunday ought to excite great interest and will certainly be full of ginger. It is an open question just now who will deserve the most sympathy, Von der Ahe or the umpire, but it is safe to say that under any set of circumstances the latter will not be the toughest in his experience. Neither side is going to lose if they can help it and somebody will have to stand the blame, so that there will be plenty of fun on tap at Sportsman's Park for the next three days.

The Browns will play the rubber game with Anson's Colts to-day and leave for home to-night. After their tussle with Cincinnati, they will begin a series of three games with the Pittsburgh Pirates on Monday and then try conclusions with the coming champions. After their go with the spiders they will journey to Cincinnati, make one final effort to crush the pride out of Comiskey and then move on victoriously or ingloriously to the Smoky City. From there they return by way of Cleveland, stopping over for two games with Tebeau's terrors, and then return home to finish up the season with Louisville and Chicago. The Chicago series will wind up on Oct. 15, the day when the Twelve-club League will be brought to a close all over the country.

A fortnight ago Cleveland was looked upon as almost certain to carry off the pennant, but the base ball situation to-day wears a different aspect. Boston, after many ups and downs, is now secure in second place, and is closing in slowly but surely. They are only four games behind the leaders now, and the situation is growing acute. However, the chances are all in Cleveland's favor. With a good lead of four games, they also have the weakest clubs to finish out the season with, and unless an unexpected break-down occurs Pat Tebeau ought to carry the banner.

After to-day both clubs will play nineteen games before the season is finished. Boston will have to face New York, Brooklyn and Washington five times each, and Philadelphia twice. On the other hand, Cleveland will have to go with Louisville, Cincinnati and St. Louis six times each, with Pittsburgh and New York, Brooklyn and Philadelphia five times each, and Boston four times each. Cincinnati and Cleveland are the only clubs that can interfere with Cleveland's chances.

From this point of view a play off for the championship seems inevitable, although the lateness of the season is apt to interfere greatly with public interest. If it were not for Jack Frost, a series such as the St. Louis and Detroit clubs played in 1891 for the championship of America might be inaugurated. With favorable weather, a game between the pennant winners would draw out the "fans" in every city of the League.

LADIES' DAY TO-MORROW.
The fair sex will smile on the Browns' attempt to slaughter the Cincinnati to-morrow. Play will begin at 3:45 o'clock with the teams in the following positions:

ST. LOUIS.
Pitcher, Dwyer or Chamberlain; Catcher, ...; First Base, ...; Second Base, ...; Third Base, ...; Left Field, ...; Right Field, ...; Outfield, ...; Wood.

THE RING.
New York, Sept. 21.—The officials of the Coney Island Athletic Club are trying to arrange a match between Corbett and Jackson, but the former still adheres to his determination not to engage in any more fights for a year.

Mitchell, however, still hankers after a meeting with the champion, as will be seen from the following cable dispatch from London, received yesterday:

"Charles Mitchell has deposited a forfeit of \$2,500 and renewed his challenge to fight Corbett for \$10,000 a side, the championship of the world and the purse of \$200,000 offered by the Olympic Club. He wants to fight in February. Mitchell says Corbett must fight him within six months or forfeit the championship."

MICK DID NOT GET LEFT.
New York, Sept. 21.—The final transaction in the recent championship battle between Jim Corbett and John L. Sullivan took place yesterday morning, when "Phil" Dwyer, who acted as stakeholder in the match, turned over the stakes, amounting to \$20,000, to Corbett's backers. Out of this amount Corbett received \$10,525 in recognition of his clever victory over Sullivan, which, together with a club purse of \$25,000, makes his winnings \$35,525. Mike Donovan also received \$1,250 from the Californian's backers. Bill Delaney, the trainer of the champion, sparring partner, "Jim" Daly and "Denny" Dillon were well paid for their work in fitting Corbett for his battle with John L. Donovan's portion was much larger than that presented to any of the other men.

MILK-MABER KNOCKED OUT.
PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 21.—Billy Smith of Boston and Billy Maber of Australia fought last night before the Seaside Club for a purse of \$1,000. Both men were in fine condition, Maber having a slight advantage in height and reach. Betting before the fight was in favor of Maber. Smith did most all of the fighting up to the twentieth round, when Maber began to knock him down repeatedly. The latter stood the punishment of his blows until the end of the twentieth round when Smith's advantage was slight. Smith started in to rush the Australian and knocked him down in the first round. In the seventh round Smith tried the pivot blow, but fell short. The eighth round opened with Maber still on the defensive. Smith kept up his rushes, but Maber got away without much damage. In the fourth round Maber was knocked down by a right-hander on the breast. He came up groggy and just as time was called he was again knocked down. From the fourteenth to the twenty-first round Smith continued his rushes and Maber began to show the effect of Smith's

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body blows. In the twenty-fifth round Maber was knocked down four times and for the last time. He was declared out and the fight given to Smith. Maber said he did not hear the last word called, but that he was satisfied, as his legs were gone. Maber made a game fight, but Smith was too clever.

THE TURF.
DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 21.—Rev. D. W. Arney, who made a reputation because he raced horses week days, preached on Sunday, and was thrown out of the Methodist Church for it, is going back to the pulpit. He, however, will race the season out, having won six purses in the Greenville meet and lowered guarantees' record to \$2,300. Yesterday he sold Monte Patchen and Willie S. for \$1,200 each. He leaves the track and sulky in two weeks, just in time to ask the conference for a new pulpit.

EAST ST. LOUIS JOCKEY CLUB.
Jockey Carr rode a clever race on Miss Kitty, an even money favorite, in the handicap, landing the grey filly a winner by a short head from Ruben, four seems to be in form again. Zoolen at 10 to 1 went out, made the run in the opening scramble, and after leading all the way won by two lengths. Defendant, an even money first choice, won the second race hands down. Kiro, another first choice, also won at prohibitive odds, captured the third event, and the closing race was won by Soundmore at 9 to 5, who defeated the favorite, Miss Kitty, by a length. The summary follows:

First race, five-eighths of a mile—Zoolen, first; Bob Francis, second; Hoodoo, third. Time, 1:02.
Second race, one-half furlongs—Defendant, first; Grace M., second; Sea King, third. Time, 1:08.
Third race, three-quarters of a mile—Kiro, first; Prestwit, second; Water, third. Time, 1:16.
Fourth race, six and a half furlongs—Miss Kitty, first; Ruben, second; Mike Conroy, third. Time, 1:21.
Fifth race, Owners' Handicap, five-eighths of a mile—Soundmore, first; school girl, second; Harry Warren, third. Time, 1:01.

BROOKLYN JOCKEY CLUB.
The Western contingent at Brooklyn did not succeed in making much of a showing yesterday, McCallister started Nero in the first race and the 2-year-old Hugh Penny in the second, but both finished unplaced, as did Zenaid in the fourth event and Best Brand in the fifth race, two more Western cracks. Only one stake event was contested there. It was won handsily by Kinglet, late the Kinglike-Laura Gould colt. Kinglet was a pronounced favorite, and the handsome bay

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colt never gave his backers one moment's uneasiness, his superiority being demonstrated from the start. The summary follows:
First race, six furlongs—Rosa H., first; Adelbert, second; St. Felix, third. Time, 1:15.
Second race, five and a half furlongs—Sam Waller, first; Courtship, second; Fitzsimmons, third. Time, 1:04.
Third race, mile and a sixteenth—Lord Motley, first; The Pop, second; Algoma, third. Time, 1:14.
Fourth race, one and a half furlongs—six furlongs—Laura Gould colt, first; Middleton, second; Frodo, third. Time, 1:16.
Fifth race, one mile and three-sixteenths—Strathmeash, first; Correction, second; Materiele, third. Time, 2:02.
Sixth race, one mile and one-sixteenth—Willie L., first; Nomad, second; Koofer, third. Time, 1:59.

THE LEICESTERSHIRE HANDICAP.
LONDON, Sept. 21.—The Leicestershire Royal Handicap to-day was won by Mr. Hammar Bass' 6-year-old black or chestnut horse Rusticus, by Hermit out of Mabelle, Baron de Hirsch's 2-year-old bay colt Windgall, by Galliard out of Windsor, was second, and Mr. A. B. Carna's 4-year-old bay colt Worldly Wise, by Wisdom out of My Pet, was third. The race was for 3,000 sovereigns, for 2-year-olds and upwards, entrance 20 sovereigns each, the second to receive 10 per cent and the third 5 per cent of the plate, one mile straight.

TRACK TALK.
King Idle, Starlight, Surplus, Crocus, All Black and Lillian were the winners at Gloucester yesterday.

Only two favorites were successful at Hawthorne yesterday, but most of the winners were well played, except Bert Jordan in the last race. The winners were Ed Bell, Virge Dorr, Wampero, Foxhall, Little Fred and Bert Jordan.

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